

**Thank you** for your support of the Edina Fine Arts Program. If you enjoyed tonight and would like to hear more, join us for any of the performances below.

ı	Dec., 10-11,17-18	Thespians "Mamma Mia!"
	Dec. 13	10th Grade Concert/CB Chamber groups at 7 pm, Fick
ı	Dec. 14	Varsity Band/Symphonic Band Concert at 7 pm, Fick
,	Jan. 11	Winter Orchestra Concert at 7 pm, Fick—Repertory,
l		and Chamber Orchestras
	Jan. 13	9-12 Jazz Band Concerts at 7 pm and 8 pm, Fick
	Jan. 19	Theatre for All "MOANA Jr."
t	Jan. 28, 29	One Act Play
,	Feb. 3	9th & 8th Grade Winter Band Concert at 7 & 8 pm EPAC
ı	Feb. 5	Crescendo Concert, 5th Grade Orchestras and Concert
		Orchestras at 4 pm in EPAC
	Feb. 14	9th Grade Choir Concert at 6 pm, EPAC
ı	Feb. 14	Varsity Choirs, Bel Canto, Cantemus Concert at 8 pm, EPAC
,	Feb. 15	Concert Choir, Men's Chorus, Treble Chorus
l		Concert at 7 pm, EPAC
,	Feb. 25, 26	Concert Band Pops Concerts at 7 pm, Fick
,	Mar. 3-5	Concert Band Pops Concerts at 7 pm, Fick
ı	Mar. 14	10th Grade Band Concert at 7 pm, Fick
,	Mar. 15	Symphonic/Varsity Band Concert at 7 pm, Fick
l	Mar. 31	So-Vo Orchestra Concert (v1.0), 7 pm Fick (Sinfonia/Varsity)
	Apr. 5	EHS Jazz Band Concert at 7 pm and 8 pm, Fick
	Apr. 22, 23	One Act Play "Space Girl"
ı	May 5	Spring Sing-Freshmen Edition, 9th Gr. Choirs at 7 pm, Fick
,	May 12, 13	Happenin' Concert, Varsity Choirs, Bel Canto,
ı	14 40 00	Cantemus at 7 pm, Fick
	May 18-20	Current Jam, Concert Choir, Men's Chorus,
,	May 01	Treble Chorus at 7 pm, Fick
ı	May 21	Current Jam, Concert Choir, Men's Chorus,
,	May 22	Treble Chorus at 1 pm and 7 pm, Fick
l	May 22	Concert Band Spring Concert at 3 pm, Fick Symphonic/Varsity Band Concert at 7 pm, Fick
	May 23 May 24	9th and 10th Grade Band Concert at 7 pm, Fick
	May 26	Spring Orchestra Concert-All EHS Orchestras at 7 pm, Fick
t	May 27	Coacello! 2022 Concert Orchestra at 7 pm Centennial Lakes
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Theatre for All "The Descendants"

June 1



# Choir Boosters (as of 11/17/21)

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## Edina Fine Arts Department

# Winter Jubilee

# A Joyful Celebration of the Season



Featuring

**Concert Band**Conducted by Paul Kile

**Concert Choir** Conducted by Christopher Piela

Concert Orchestra
Conducted by Nicholas Gaudette

EHS Thespians
Directed by Jessica Froehlich

# THE PROGRAM

### "Twas the Night Before Winter Jubilee"

read by Ethan Letsch

Winter Jubilee Opener (Christmas on Broadway)

arr. John Higgins

Combined Band, Choir, Orchestra

#### **Christmas Fantasia**

Satoshi Yagisawa Concert Band

### A Festive Patapan—Traditional French Carol

arr. Tom Fettke & Thomas Grassi Concert Choir

#### It's the Most Wonderful Time of the Year

Eddie Pola and George Wyle, arr. Bob Cerulli Concert Orchestra

### **Christmas In Spain**

Kevin Day
Concert Band

#### **Glow**

Eric Whitacre Concert Choir

#### Invierno Porteño

Astor Piazzolla, arr. Leonid Desyatnikov VIOLIN SOLOIST: Ruthie Conry Concert Orchestra

# Orchestra Boosters

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Team Northrup

CONDUCTOR (\$500+) All Strings Attached Mr. & Mrs. Schleeter The Schmitt Family

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SECTION PLAYER (\$100+) Jay Fogelberg Meg Gilbertson John Jerney
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# Thespian Boosters

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Steve and Jennea Botts
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Heather and Doug Bennett
Mary and Tim Braun
Margie and Tony Galvin
Amanda Kreider
Paul and Rachel Meierant
Kristina and Pat Morton
Team Musolf
Justin Rogers and DeAnn Thyse
Allison and Matt Sneller



### Supertrooper

ABBA Edina Thespians

#### I Wonder as I Wander

Three Wise Men

### Milonga Del Angel

Astor Piazzolla, arr. Jim Palmer
Concert Orchestra

### **Joyful Variants**

(based on themes of Beethoven)

arr. Naoya Wada

Concert Band

### **Tango Around the Christmas Tree**

Original Work by Johnny Marks Adapted Tango Arrangement: Nicholas Gaudette Concert Orchestra

### Frosty the Snow Man

Steve Nelson & Jack Rollins, arr. Kirby Shaw Concert Choir

### **Holiday Galop**

Randall Standridge Concert Band

#### Winter Jubilee Closer

(Holiday Favorites) arr. Roger Emerson and Paul Lavendar Combined Band, Choir, Orchestra

# Acknowledgements

Dr. Stacie Stanley, Superintendent
Andy Beaton, Edina High School Principal
Michael Pretasky, Assistant Principal & Fine Arts Coordinator
Jenn Carter, Assistant Principal
Jenny Johnson, Assistant Principal
Troy Stein, Assistant Principal/Activities Director
Brad Dahlman, Dean of Students
Tyler Morris, Performing Arts Facilities Manager
Lisa Petersen, Copy Center
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Doug Geston, Westmark Productions
Josh Barnd, Lighting Design

### Our **Amazing** Edina Music Staff

Andrew Atwood Beth Brandt Susan Charles **Kyrsten Darby** Christine Dold Nicholas Ellison Sarah Fincham Geneva Fitzsimonds Nicholas Gaudette Chris Gumz Serina Jolivette Paul Kile Scott Lehrke Martha Lundquist Michael Moeller Daniel Mollick Megan Palmer

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### Fine Arts Department

#### **CHOIR**

More than 500 students sing in the Edina High School Choral program, a department comprised of seven curricular choirs meeting during the day, four extra-curricular ensembles providing students an additional singing opportunity outside the school day, and an early-morning, weekly Men's Chorus open to all male singers in the high school and local community. The curricular choirs include 9th Grade SSA (soprano/alto), 9th Grade TTB (tenor/bass), Varsity SSA (soprano/alto, grades 10-12), Varsity TTB (tenor/bass, grades 10-12), Bel Canto (advanced soprano/alto, grades 10-12), Cantemus (advanced tenor/bass, grades 10-12) and Concert Choir (advanced mixed chorus, grades 11-12). A close partnership between middle and high school programs ensures the development of comprehensive, lifelong musical skills for all singers.

#### BAND

The Edina High School band program consists of more than 500 students in grades 9 through 12. There are five high school concert bands: a concert band, two sections of varsity band, one section of a symphonic band, two sections of 10th grade bands, and four sections of 9th grade band. The 10-12 graders form the Edina "Hornet" Marching Band in the fall. There are 6 extra-curricular jazz bands, two pep bands, and numerous excellent chamber ensembles. Auditions are held annually for placement in all the high school bands. Musical ability and grade level, along with a strong desire to achieve excellent musical results, are the primary factors in determining placement in bands.

#### **ORCHESTRA**

The Edina High School Orchestra Program consists of four orchestras across grades 9 -12. The curricular ensembles include two sections of 9th grade Repertory Orchestra, Sinfonia Orchestra, Varsity Orchestra and Concert Orchestra. Select students from the EHS Concert Band team up with the Concert Orchestra once a week to dive into symphonic works for full orchestra. Auditions are held at the end of each year for our Varsity and Concert Orchestra. Two extra curricular audition based chamber orchestras meet outside of the school day for grades 9-10 and 11-12. Repertory and Concert Orchestras will team up to perform a side by side concert in conjunction with the elementary and middle school orchestra programs. This collaboration creates a welcoming transition as students cross the bridge from middle school and high school.

#### THEATRE

Combining the collaborative forces and talents of directors from the Choir, Orchestra, FACS and Theatre departments, the EHS Thespians is the umbrella title for the Edina High School Theatre Program. At its core, we are a group of educators, students, parents, alumni, and community members who believe in the power of the theatre arts to change and improve the lives of young people. We believe in helping ALL adolescents to find their voice and we believe in helping our community to tell their multiple and diverse stories. At the heart of our program is the class THEATRE FOR ALL which pairs students from our Special Education program with students from our performing arts classes to produce a musical for public performance. Besides curricular classes, the EHS Thespians produce multiple extra-curricular offerings each year including a Fall Musical, One Act Play (for competition), Spring Play, and 24 Hour Play Festival.

# Concert Orchestra

#### VIOLIN I

Julia Barrett
Katherine Dickson
Liv Hackbarth
Myra Han
Sophie Klein
Ana Martinez Martinez
Lukas Oddsson
Kathryn Olive
Paavo Rundman
Bryson Schenck
Xander VanDyke
Natalie Wu

#### VIOLIN II

Rohit Aralikar George Clement Ruthie Conry Anamika Kansara Julia Kim Kelcie Meitz Leo Mellum Owen Sanderson Bob Zhang

#### **VIOLA**

Cora Adams Bethlehem Alamirew James Faul
Jorgen Halstensen
Zach Johnson
Rosie Larson
lan McVann-Henkelmann
Nick Nielsen
Josefina Scozzari
Evelyn Yang
Sydney Ziemniak

#### CELLO

Maria Hadjiyanis Ryan Jiang Sarah Mashaal Sabrina Rubenstein Erek Seldon Rowan Ungerman John Vaccaro Gracin Van Liere Willem van Panhuys Ananth Veluvali

#### **BASS**

Breindel Cadja Oliver Engstrom Biorn Snyder

#### **GUITAR**

Max Froelich

# Thespians

Lizzie Semington Louisa Darr Sophia Azim Avery Fischbach Evangelia Karoussos Natalie Mosakowski Cella Porter Sally Rendleman Naomi Smith Mazie Solarz-Patel Ellanor Splinter Olivia Succio Ava Zambrano Harry Bercaw Omayma Chiadmi Noah Hecker Will Jakalal Ryne Kebhart

Ty Keeley Siri Larson Mya Lee Reid McAllister Rhys McVann-Henkelman Maggie Musolf Ada Rickard Helen Shilling Ben Solsvig Claire Stastny Amanda Strack Natalie Tran Gabriela Nowak Chloe Mcmahon Matthew Smith Ethan Letsch Max Froehlich



Thank you **so much** for being with us for our annual Winter Jubilee! We can't tell you how meaningful it is to be back giving live performances again, and an event like this is not only a wonderful way for us to share with you the combined talents of our Edina Thespians, Concert Choir, Concert Orchestra and Concert Band, but also an opportunity for our students to experience the depth and talent of our entire performing arts program! Every time we perform, we learn, we become more connected, and we become a better version of ourselves. Students involved in the arts are able to see the world and themselves in ways that can be transformational. While last year left many students coping with loneliness and isolation, preparing for this concert has brought our students together and has nurtured more confident, more expressive, more knowing and more empathetic young people. Now more than ever we can see how the fine arts can help us become the best versions of ourselves.

While it is no secret that Edina is recognized for its academic excellence and State Championship athletics, it is also home to an award winning performing arts program. Our Music and Theater programs have achieved local, state, national and international accolades and have a reputation for high quality performances as well a rich and rewarding curriculum. For decades the performing arts in Edina have been a beacon of excellence and continue to grow and earn praise. It is no exaggeration to say that Edina's long tradition of excellence in the arts sets us apart from the rest. This of course is no accident due in part to your amazing support and the quality of our elementary, middle school and high school classroom offerings. Edina boasts strong and robust elementary classroom music classes, an excellent 5th grade band and orchestra program, vital and strong middle school offerings in band, orchestra, choir and theater and a high school performing arts program rich with student interest, involvement and excellence. What you hear and see in this concert is a culmination of years of hard work and dedication beginning at the elementary level, growing through the middle years and coming to full fruition on the concert stage in front of you.

Thank you again for being a part of our Winter Jubilee tradition and for your generous and gracious support of all of our programs. Edina Public Schools is a very special place and offers our students exemplary experiences academically, athletically and as you'll hear with this concert- the performing arts! Thank you for being a part of that and for joining us.

Happy Holidays to all of you, from all of us!

Nick Gaudette- Orchestra Chris Piela- Choir Paul Kile- Band Jessica Froehlich- Theater

# Concert Band

#### **FLUTE**

Lily-Marie Antoine Jonas Carlson McKenna Halvorson Ellie Karthaus Claire Krysiak Catherine Landelle Lucas Lippert Sally Sebek

#### **OBOE**

Soren Kung Jay Lebakken

#### **BASSOON**

Jonah Engelmann William (Liam) Johnson Neil Prajapati Michael Richter

#### **CLARINET**

Charles Aubitz Joseph Burke Francesca Elia Avery Fischbach Sydney Galvin Aidan G. Johnson Aidan M. Johnson Shanze Karimi Connor Lund Wallace Neaton Weston Reich Sally Rendleman Ethan Richter Timmy Ruppert Noah Rutman **Dorothy Stotts** Benjamin Xie

#### **BASS CLARINET**

Grace Baker Nathan Haff Laurel Vose

#### **ALTO SAX**

Ellie Brothers Atman Jahagirdar Peter Mans Nicholas Youngstrom

#### **TENOR SAX**

Elizabeth Glieden Christy Lee

#### **BARI SAX**

Ethan Letsch Carter Petrella

#### TRUMPET

Micah Berge
Harry Chapdelaine
Colin Dorsey
Cordelia Flemming
Maren Fullerton
Owen Land
Samuel Ramirez
Maria Teien
Michael Van Panhuys
Leo Wang

#### FRENCH HORN

Emily Herold Madeline Howard Kurt Lebakken Florine Lijesen Colin McKhann Elizabeth Mullen

#### **TROMBONE**

Christopher Bauer Charles Burbach Caden Edam Ryan Hermes Hunter Hess Elizabeth Lundberg Henry Molhoek Thomas Ritten

#### **BARITONE**

Finnoe Dewey Max Heirigs Christian Smith

#### **TUBA**

Ryan Chaffee Joseph Manser Cecelia Wilde

#### **PERCUSSION**

Alexandra Cheung Nicholas Grafe Andrew Guzik Anne Rewey Sadie Roy Adam Savageau Petra Smythe Margaret Van Someran

# Concert Choir

#### **SOPRANO**

Nadia Choi Lauren Collins\* Madeline Dahlien Ana Dyrdahl\* Jennifer Jones Greta Kerekes Isadora Li\* Chloe McMahon\* Alexandra Mielke Gabriela Nowak Elizabeth Seminaton Tiffany Shen\* Charlotte Smith Jenna Sorenson Paige Stanley Phoebe Zamoff

Sophie Bruning Way

#### **ALTO**

Serena Arisian\*

Ella Brown Ann Carpenter Sofia Ebsen\* Katherine Goetzmann Lila Gorius Greta Jacobs Georgia Jensen\* Julia Karpinsky Madeline LaFrenz Isabella Lowe Ella Meitrodt Elise Morton\* Shelby Northrup Anna Olson Jamie Pierce **Eloise Sundal** Margaret Wagner

Megan Weibel Aniya Whittley Harper Yang

#### **TENOR**

Luke Aadalen Andrew Alkire Quinlen Chrysler\* Tully Clark\* Noah Deets Jake Holder\* Joseph Matysik\* William Nahlovsky Landon Nebel\* Harold Otteson Daniel Portz\* Cameron Sanderson Isaac Schellsmidt Reid Sprenkle Rvan Swanda John Weiby

#### **BASS**

Tanner Burnham\*
Casey Campion
John Dickey
Alexander Gustafson
Andrew Hulbert
Matthew James
William Johnson
Patrick Kiely\*
Michael Mason
Charles Nasby
Jackson Parrish
Logan Sinclair\*
Jacob Tietz\*
Chase Vazquez

<sup>\* =</sup> Chamber Singers